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12/21/99**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 082771.P262Total Pages 3First Named Inventor or Application Identifier Reuven MoskovichExpress Mail Label No. EL 431 886 630 US

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

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2.  Specification **(Total Pages 24)**  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claims
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
3.  Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) **(Total Sheets 10)**
4.  Oath or Declaration **(Total Pages 6)**
  - a.  Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
  - b.  Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed) **(Note Box 5 below)**
  - i.  **DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S)** Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6.  Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission

(if applicable, all necessary copies)

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- c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

#### ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- 8.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))
- 9.  a. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)  
 b. Power of Attorney
- 10.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
- 11.  a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  
 b. Copies of IDS Citations
- 12.  Preliminary Amendment
- 13.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
- 14.  a. Small Entity Statement(s)  
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TITLE OF THE INVENTION

METHOD FOR A NETWORK DEVICE  
INSERTED BETWEEN POINT TO POINT  
CONNECTED STATIONS TO  
AUTOMATICALLY NEGOTIATE  
COMMUNICATION PARAMETERS  
BETWEEN THE STATIONS

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143	430	243	215	Design issue fee	_____
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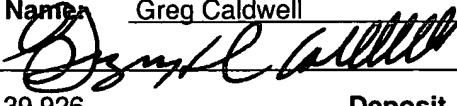
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